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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Barbara A. Soltz et al.) Group Art Unit: 3731
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Serial No.: 09/973,335) Examiner: Gwen G. Phanijphand
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Filed: October 9, 2001)
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2003 the period for response to which has been extended through September 8, 2003 (September 7, 2003 being a Sunday) by a request for extension of time and fee payment filed contemporaneously herewith, please amend the above-captioned application, as follows: